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 Box PATENT APPLICATION  
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Sir:

The following utility patent application is enclosed for filing:

Applicant(s): Chen *et al.*

Executed on: unexecuted

Title of Invention: VIRTUAL MACHINE INTERFACE FOR HARDWARE RECONFIGURABLE AND SOFTWARE  
 PROGRAMMABLE PROCESSOR

**PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE**

TYPE	NO. FILED	LESS	EXTRA	EXTRA RATE	FEE
Total Claims	52	-20	32	\$18.00 each	\$ 576.00
Independent	7	-3	4	\$80.00 each	\$ 320.00
Minimum Fee					\$ 710.00
Multiple Dependency Fee If Applicable (\$270.00)					\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>					\$ 1,606.00
50% Reduction for Independent Inventor, Nonprofit Organization or Small Business Concern (37 CFR 1.27)					- \$ 803.00
<b>Total Filing Fee</b>					\$ 803.00

119. ☒ Priority of application no. 60/195,096 filed on April 6, 2000 in the United States is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §  
☒ Applicants hereby claims Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.27).

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